

SUMNER

Stanton Stone and friend returned to Saginaw Monday.

Mrs. Ducho and daughter and Amos Ferris and wife and daughter of Monroe were the guests of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Duval, last week.

T. McGurn returned from Detroit Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fowler, Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Graham and Mrs. Charles Goggin of Alma attended the funeral of Mrs. Wm. Phillips Sunday.

Howard Phillips returned to his work at Saginaw Tuesday.

Mrs. Clyde Smead called on several friends here Tuesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cooley, Wednesday, March 1, a baby boy.

Mrs. L. C. Woodard spent Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Emily Wolford, who has been in poor health for some time.

Dr. E. M. Highfield of Riverdale and Dr. T. J. Carney of Alma were called here on professional business Thursday morning.

Howard McClenathan was taken seriously ill Wednesday night. Upon examination it proved to be a case of appendicitis. He was at once removed to Dr. Carney's hospital where an operation was performed. His friends all hope for a speedy recovery.

Harry Fisher transacted business in Alma Thursday.

Mrs. Edwin Leuland left Thursday for a few days' visit with friends in St. Louis.

R. M. Forquer returned from Los Angeles, Calif., Friday, where he had been sending the winter months.

Joe Basinger, east of town, is having a sale and expects to move to St. Louis, where he has employment.

The funeral services for Mrs. Wm. Phillips was held at the home here Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Mr. Roberts of Ithaca, assisted by the L. O. T. M., of which she was a local member. Interment was made in the Sumner cemetery. Mrs. Phillips will be greatly missed as she was of a willing disposition, a good neighbor and ever ready to assist in any good work. The high esteem in which she was held was made manifest by the beautiful floral offerings. The relatives who came from away were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Monks, of Ionia, Mrs. Mina Noron, and Oliver and Otis Monks, of Saranac, brothers and sisters of Mrs. Phillips, also Mr. Merton Phillips, a cousin, from Clarksville.

Mrs. C. L. Boothe of Alma came Friday to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Forquer.

Clifford Gee of Perinton came Friday to spend Sunday with his family here.

Claud Stoff's, who has been in Toledo visiting his brother, returned home Saturday.

H. H. Clow was on the sick list last week.

The "Happy Hustlers" Sunday School class of the Christian church gave a baked goods and candy sale Saturday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Leonard were in Ithaca on business Thursday.

A. E. Fowler transacted business in Ithaca and St. Louis Saturday.

Willard Robbins from Robbinsville was a Thursday evening caller.

Theron Butler and wife, Mrs. H. Chute and daughter Vida are attending Adventist camp meeting at Riverdale.

Floyd McClenathan has repaired the dam and has the grist mill running again that was destroyed by the ice storm.

Mrs. Howard Phillips returned to her home in New Haven Thursday.

Len Strine and family were in Alma the first of the week.

Wm. Phillips transacted business in Riverdale Tuesday.

Earl Berry and wife of Alma were in town Thursday.

The State Food and Dairyman from Lansing was here in business Monday.

Mrs. D. J. Ayers is on the sick list this week.

The Rebecca pedro party Wednesday evening was well attended.

John Miller of Ferris was a caller here Thursday.

VESTABURG

Mrs. Levi Blough is spending a few days in Edmore at the home of her son Elmer.

The Church of Christ at Vestaburg will begin revival meetings March 19. They will have special music. Rev. Hendricks will start a band and orchestra in the near future.

Home made candy will be for sale Saturday afternoon at Dr. Hubbard's drug store by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Church of Christ.

Herman Sparks went to Riverdale Monday to take possession of the livery barn which he purchased at that place last week. His many friends wish him success in his new place of business. The family will reside in their pleasant house in Vestaburg until a suitable location can be secured in Riverdale.

A ten pound daughter was born Friday, March 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hamlin at their home on Route 1, Edmore, Mich. Mrs. Hamlin before marriage was Miss Maggie Malley of Vestaburg.

Mrs. John Bernius and son Ralph Swarthout spent Friday in St. Louis.

Mrs. Grant Woodman and son of Centerville are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Caris.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wadle and children of Pine Grove were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Caris.

Mrs. Blanche Mauley spent Sunday near Edmore visiting at the home of Mrs. Frank Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murphy went to Elm Hall Friday evening to attend a social given by the pupils of the school Mr. Murphy is teaching.

Arnold Greenhoe, Homer Stiles and Clarence Favorite were in Riverdale Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Horabek and children visited relatives in Mt. Pleasant Sunday.

Miss Celia Peck of Alma spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting Mrs. Mary Vinton, Mrs. Fred Sinclair, Mrs. Wm. Caris and other friends.

Mrs. Thomas Caris and son Ray were at Pine Grove Wednesday visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Wadle.

Mrs. Paige Throop spent Monday in Alma.

SETHTON

Earl Wilcox, who has been in northern Michigan for the past few months, is visiting his mother and other relatives for a few days.

The reading contest closed Sunday. Earl Gruesbeck's side won by 1300 points and the losers give the winners a big "feed and program" Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wallace and son of Kentucky are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Shepherd.

Mrs. Carrie McWilliams and son William and family of Maple Rapids were visiting at the H. H. McWilliams home.

Harry Morning and friend of Harrison are visiting friends here.

The Willing Workers Class held an interesting class meeting at the Community House Saturday evening. The boys were "willing" to serve the supper.

The L. A. S. meets this Thursday with Mrs. M. C. Moore. March 16 they will serve dinner at Wesley Hall in Carson City.

Howard Hurd of Ionia spent Sunday with friends here.

The Whosoever Class meets Friday evening at the Verne Gardner home in Carson City.

CITY COMMISSION

Alma, Michigan, March 7, 1922.

Regular meeting of the City Commission of the city of Alma in session at the council chambers on above date. Meeting called to order at 8 o'clock p. m. by Mayor Charles R. Murphy.

Present: Commissioners Creaser, and Archer.

Absent: Commissioners Glass and Chick.

There being a quorum present, the Commission was declared in session.

Minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved.

Reading of bills and claims:

J. Howe	\$ 23.00
D. Howe	33.00
O. Dyer	6.00
F. King	9.00
J. Huntley	.80
J. Shong	24.00
G. Shong	24.00
B. Williams	24.00
G. VanNorman	2.00
D. Garland	8.00
K. Schieb	30.00
H. Faught	3.00
C. Hitchcock	22.60
H. Voller	36.00
V. Lowe	22.60
E. C. Hasse	31.60
P. N. Grover	7.20
J. Lutz	9.00
Alma Roller Mills	5.10
A. F. Bartlett & Co.	12.43
E. B. Berman Iron & Metal Co.	16.97
W. A. Brunner	2.50
The Carhill Petroleum Co.	302.15
Cent. Mich. Light & Pow. Co.	1186.55
Earl C. Clapp	4.88
Vern Colburn	155.04
Dr. J. N. Day	14.35
D. McDonald & Co.	3.35
Gratiot County Gas. Co.	31.61
E. A. Johnson	32.00
Kenneth Anderson Co.	7.97
B. R. Lane	117.17
Mdlr Electric Co.	37.93
J. M. Montigel and Son	3.27
Morley Brothers	10.97
Union Telephone Co.	16.27
Pere Marquette Railway Co.	162.08

Moved by Commissioner Archer and supported by Commissioner Creaser that the above bills as read be allowed and the clerk instructed to issue checks in payment thereof, covering Vouchers Nos. 796 to 815.

Ayes—Commissioners Creaser and Archer, Mayor Murphy.

Nays—None.

Moved by Commissioner Archer and supported by Commissioner Creaser that the report of the Chief of Police for February be received and placed on file. The motion prevails.

Gas Report

March 6—520.8; March 7—513.0.

March 8—513.2; March 9—511.8;

Average for period 516.2 per cu ft.

Required average 520.00 per cu ft.

Moved by Commissioner Creaser and supported by Commissioner Archer that the commission adjourn. The motion prevails.

Francis C. Hayward, Clerk.

Charles R. Murphy, Mayor.

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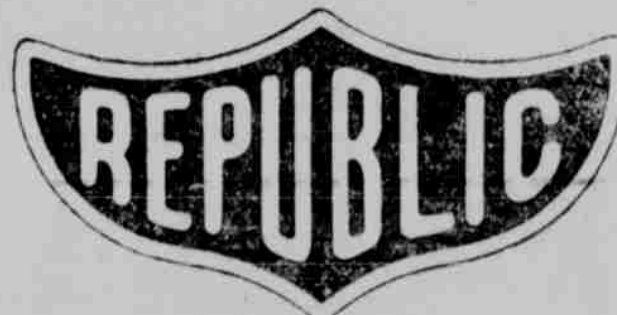
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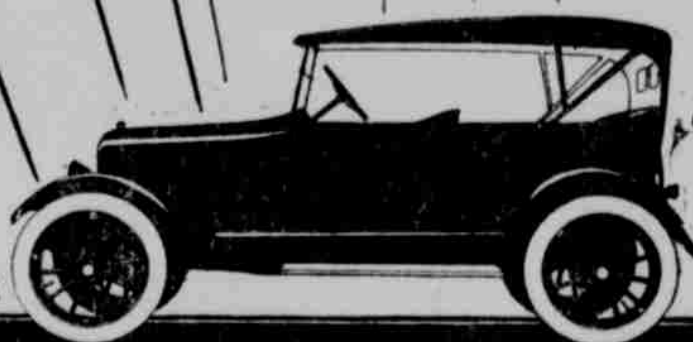
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